

# The Lovington Leader.

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## Cultural Exhibit For Lovington

Agricultural exhibit for 1915, was the building under the hall, and was well lighted and had plenty of room. Fruit and vegetables looked artistic, but the little corner which was for the purpose of artistic work and paintings.

Following is a report of receiving the blue and red ribbons:

- Waller, Stanbro, N. M.
- O'Neal, Midway, ..
- E. D. Oliver, Lovington.
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- Oliver, Lovington, ..
- Oliver, Lovington, ..
- Priest, Plainview, ..
- O'Neal, Midway, ..
- W. M. Collins, Lovington.
- Ed Love, Lovington, ..
- W. M. Collins, ..
- G. M. McGonagill, Lov.
- Oliver, Lovington, ..
- C. B. McGonagill, ..
- J. S. Eaves, Lovington.
- Halloway, Monument.
- J. S. Eaves, Lovington.
- Love, Lovington, ..
- Cooper, Plainview, ..
- P. S. Eaves, Lovington.
- I. S. Eaves, ..
- O'Neal, Midway, ..
- Love, Lovington, ..
- Syrett, McDonald, ..
- Cox, Lovington, ..
- W. M. Collins, Lovington.
- Waller, Stanbro, ..
- I. Collins, Lovington, ..
- O'Neal, Midway, ..
- James, Plainview, ..
- Cooper, Plainview, ..
- Jackson, Lovington, ..
- Van Gieson, Lovington.
- Oliver, Lovington, ..
- W. T. Lay, Lovington.
- Central display by Community, 7 miles east of best neighborhood, 6 mi. west.
- CANNED GOODS.
- E. D. Oliver received blue ribbon on the following:
- peas, onions, corn, preserves, plum butter, etc. Also red on jelly.
- F. G. Shepard received blue ribbon on canned peach sweet peach pickles.
- Pearl Vinson of Plainview, blue ribbon on peach.
- John D. Graham, Red ribbon on embroidery.
- Archer Cooley, blue ribbon on embroidery.
- Harriet Garrett, blue ribbon on embroidery.
- John Roden, red ribbon on embroidery.

Mrs. A. A. Dearduff, blue ribbon on crochet. Mrs. M. F. Clardy blue ribbon on tatten. Mrs. John Beard red ribbon on tatten. J. M. Lay blue ribbon, best picture in art.

## Old Soldiers Reunion

List of Confederates at Reunion held the 20th of Aug. at Lovington, N. M. T. P. Bingham, Lovington, N. M. G. H. Gowan, .. G. M. McGonagill, .. A. L. Steele, .. G. W. Woods, .. J. M. Lay, .. J. A. Bates, .. N. J. Fritz, King, .. Rev. H. H. Burnett, Hope, .. J. W. Barfield, .. A. Mason, Tatum, .. L. T. Wiggell, .. J. A. Willis, Pearl, .. W. J. Kilgore, Tatum, .. B. F. Wilks, Post, Tex. J. M. Marcy, Lubbock, .. W. A. Hunt, Comanche, .. G. A. R. Soldiers.

Edward Van Gieson, Lovington. P. Roberts, Broken Arrow, Ok.

The above list of U. C. V. and G. A. R. soldiers formed in line front of bank, where there were 3 snap shot pictures were taken of them, and the line was put in marching order. The march was around the public square to south side and then through the gate to the tabernacle, where the old soldiers and their wives were seated on the front seats. First on program was an essay on Robert E. Lee, read by Miss Fannie Bingham.

2nd. An essay on Stonewall Jackson by Miss Mary Lou Graham. 3rd. A few remarks by Capt. Bingham on the noble character of Gen. Grant. Next, a speech by Judge Grantham to the old soldiers, and then dinner was announced. The old soldiers marched out to the barbecue table the dinner having commenced, but there was such a crowd they could not get dinner only by crowding in, so our wide awake and generous hearted friend, R. F. Love, had the line of old soldiers march to the Harper Cafe, where he ordered dinner for all of them and their wives, and the dinner was fine. In the afternoon from 4 to 5

o'clock the old soldiers pulled off a cavalry parade using the old rebel yell as in days gone by. Everything was made agreeable for the old boys and their wives, for which they are grateful to Lovington. Sincerely, Old Soldiers.

## Labor Day Proclamation

Labor in one form or another is the force that moves all the affairs of man. The real laborer is the prime factor of our civilization. By labor is produced all that sustains the life of the nations. It tills the soil, maintains our industries and makes transportation convenient and effective.

It is but fair and just that we set aside one day on which we may exult and magnify the importance of the foundation in production of all things that fructify and expand the earth's usefulness to man.

Now, Therefore, in accordance with the law of our land and the custom of our people, I, William C. McDonald, Governor of the State of New Mexico, do hereby proclaim

Monday the 6th day of Sept. 1915, as Labor Day

and heartily recommend that it be observed by all the people of New Mexico as a legal holiday; that the state offices be closed and the ordinary business of the day may be suspended, in order that all may do honor to the great body of our people who labor in the fields, factories, the mines, the forests, in the shops and on the railroads, and in all the varied industries of the state.

Done at the Executive Office, this, the 19th day of August, 1915.

WITNESS my hand and the great seal of the State of New Mexico.

William C. McDonald, Sec'y. of State.

## The Carisbad Band

The music of the Carisbad band boys was much appreciated by the Lovington people, and their willingness to furnish music for different occasions, made the melody of their music float out not infrequently to the ears of appreciative listeners. One of the oldest but, sweetest pieces of music they played, to our mind, was that of "Meditation", while perhaps, the old soldiers thought the patriotic selections were best. At any rate they played and we enjoyed it.

It seems that people from a distance liked the boys of our town very much as another person from Portales, Mr. Wolford has rented the S. L. Posey house in the south part of town, which place Mr. Posey is having re-papered and put in order for his coming.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, ROSWELL, N. M. Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of Act of Congress approved June 21, 1896, and June 20, 1897, and supplementary and amendatory statutes has filed in this office selection lists for the following described lands:

- List No. 5411, Serial No. 02625-5411, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5412, Serial No. 02626-5412, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5413, Serial No. 02627-5413, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5414, Serial No. 02628-5414, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5415, Serial No. 02629-5415, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5416, Serial No. 02630-5416, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5417, Serial No. 02631-5417, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5418, Serial No. 02632-5418, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5419, Serial No. 02633-5419, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5420, Serial No. 02634-5420, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5421, Serial No. 02635-5421, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5422, Serial No. 02636-5422, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5423, Serial No. 02637-5423, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5424, Serial No. 02638-5424, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5425, Serial No. 02639-5425, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5426, Serial No. 02640-5426, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5427, Serial No. 02641-5427, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5428, Serial No. 02642-5428, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5429, Serial No. 02643-5429, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5430, Serial No. 02644-5430, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5431, Serial No. 02645-5431, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5432, Serial No. 02646-5432, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5433, Serial No. 02647-5433, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5434, Serial No. 02648-5434, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5435, Serial No. 02649-5435, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.
- List No. 5436, Serial No. 02650-5436, Sec. 25, T. 15 S., R. 24 E., N. M. Mer. 250 acres.

Protests or contests against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office during the period of publication hereof, or at any time thereafter before final approval and certification.

EMMETT PATTON, Register.

July 30, Aug. 27.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Albert C. Estes 024562-025202 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 22, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Albert C. Estes of Lovington, N. M. who on March 15, 1911 and on July 1, 1912 made Orig. and Adff' Hd. E. Serial Nos. 024562-025202 respectively, for the SE 1/4, Sec. 7, and NE 1/4 Sec. 16 Twp. 17-S R. 27-E, N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before E. M. Love U. S. Commissioner in his office at Lovington, N. M. Sept. 1, 1915. Claimant names as witnesses: John D. Graham, Dan Blair, Lemar Ganscock, Kenneth L. Cunningham, all of Lovington, N. M. Emmett Patton—Register. July 30, Aug. 27.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Kenneth L. Cunningham 025294 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 22, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Kenneth L. Cunningham of Lovington, N. M. who on April 19, 1912 made Hd. E. Serial No. 025294 for S1/2 Sec. 29 Twp. 16-S R. 27-E, N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before E. M. Love U. S. Commissioner in his office at Lovington, N. M. Sept. 1, 1915. Claimant names as witnesses: Archie D. Wood, James S. Anderson, Dock Townsend, Albert C. Estes, all of Lovington, N. M. Emmett Patton—Register. July 30, Aug. 27.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

William W. Balch 024058 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 24, 1915. Notice is hereby given that William W. Balch of Midway, N. M. who on Dec. 10, 1910 made Hd. E. Serial No. 024058 for NE 1/4, Sec. 7, and NW1/4 Sec. 8 Twp. 15-S R. 34-E, N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before E. M. Love U. S. Commissioner in his office at Lovington, N. M. Sept. 4, 1915. Claimant names as witnesses: John R. Ely, William R. Baker, Clement Hennington, Jasper A. Syfrett, all of Midway, N. M. Emmett Patton—Register. July 30, Aug. 27.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Sarah C. Stripling 025869-025753 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 28th, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Sarah C. Stripling of Knowles, N. M. who on Mch. 15, 1912 and Aug. 1, 1913 made Orig. and Adff' Hd. Entries, Serial Nos. 025869-025753 respectively, for NE2, Sec. 30; W1/2SW1-4; NE1-4SW1-4; Lot 3; Sec. 29; NW1-4 NW1-4, Sec. 29, T. 16-S R. 39-E. N. M. P. M. has notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before D. H. Coleman U. S. Commissioner in his office at Knowles, N. M. Sept. 9, 1915. Claimant names as witnesses: Claud C. Stephenson, Allen J. Heard, Philip S. Bennett, Olin G. Hardin, all of Knowles, N. M. Emmett Patton—Register. Aug. 6, Sept. 3.



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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. July 27, 1915. Notice is hereby given that Beart Alston of Pearl, N. M. who on Jan. 31, 1912 made Hd. E. Serial No. 025583 for S1/2 SE1-4, Sec. 28; W1-2 SW1-4, Sec. 27 Twp. 18-S R. 35-E, N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before E. M. Love U. S. Commissioner in his office at Lovington, N. M. Sept. 8, 1915. Claimant names as witnesses: David I. Aaywood, Samuel L. Posey, William J. Pruitt, Charles B. McGonagill, all of Lovington, N. M. Emmett Patton, Register. Aug. 6, Sept. 3.

The public well needs the attention of the Commercial Club as it has positively refused to pump another drop of water until it is fixed.

W. O. W. Lovington Grange Camp No. 84. Meets every first and third Tuesday night in the W. O. W. hall. A. N. Marchman, C. C. F. J. Robinson, Clerk.

W. C. HOWARD ABSTRACTS. Lovington, N. M.

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